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Mr. ABDUL HAMEED KHAN :—" May I know if the Government are of opinion that there is no other man who is prepared to take up this post and who would discharge the duties better than at present? "

The hon. Diwan Bahadur S. KUMARASWAMI REDDIYAR :—" The question will arise after the present incumbent ceases to hold the appointment."

Mr. ABDUL HAMEED KHAN :—" How long will he continue? "

The hon. Diwan Bahadur S. KUMARASWAMI REDDIYAR :—" I cannot say."

Diwan Bahadur R. N. AROGYASWAMI MUDALIYAR :—" What are the emoluments of the post? "

The hon. Diwan Bahadur S. KUMARASWAMI REDDIYAR :—" Notice, Sir."

Delay in filling up the Vice-Principalship of the Law College, Madras.

* 111 *Q.*—Mr. ABDUL HAMEED KHAN: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Excise be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the vacancy in the Vice-Principalship of the Law College has been filled up; and

(*b*) if not, what the reason is for the delay?

A.—(*a*) No.

(*b*) The Madras Services Commission has been addressed to make a selection and has advertised the vacancy.

Mr. ABDUL HAMEED KHAN :—" May I ask whether this post should not go legitimately to persons who are holding the posts of Professors in the Law College at present? "

The hon. Diwan Bahadur S. KUMARASWAMI REDDIYAR :—" It is an office coming under the statutory rules; there is no such provision in those rules."

Mr. BASHEER AHMED SAYEED :—" May I know whether the Government will not consider the desirability of abolishing this post in view of retrenchment? "

The hon. Diwan Bahadur S. KUMARASWAMI REDDIYAR :—" We have already made retrenchments; I do not think any further retrenchment is possible."

Overdrawal of the fixed travelling allowance by the Inspecting Officers of the Educational Department.

* 112 *Q.*—Sriman M. G. PATNAIK Mahasayo: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Excise be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether inspecting officers of the educational department have submitted memorials to Government regarding recovery of alleged overdrawn fixed travelling allowance;

(*b*) the circumstances under which such overdrawal was ordered;